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A Notice of Abandonment, Form PTO-1432, was mailed on September 24, 1999 in patent application Serial Number 08/802,472. The Notice of Abandonment alleged that applicant failed to file a response to the Office letter dated February 19, 1999.

A timely response to the Office letter in question, filed August 6, 1999 setting forth an incorrect examining group art unit, has been received and associated with the application file. Accordingly, the Notice of Abandonment is hereby RESCINDED.

Any inconvenience occasioned by the delay in associating the response with the application file is regretted.

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